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CONSUMER CREDIT AND DEBT

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SELECTED LAWS, REGULATIONS, AND ORDINANCES

Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.), Title 20, Debt Management Companies beginning with R20-4-601.

Arizona Administrative Code (A.A.C.), Title 20, Collection Agencies beginning with R20-4-1501.

Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) Consumer Reporting Agencies, Volume 14 beginning with §44-1691.

Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) Credit Services, Volume 14 beginning with §44-1701.

United States Code (U.S.C.), Consumer Credit Protection Act, Title 15 beginning with §1601.

United States Code (U.S.C.), Fair Credit Reporting Act, Title 15 beginning with §1681.

United States Code (U.S.C.), Equal Credit Opportunity Act, Title 15 beginning with §1691.

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SELECTED BOOKS ABOUT CONSUMER CREDIT AND DEBT

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Sheldon, Jonathan. *Surviving Debt: Counseling Families in Financial Trouble*. National Consumer Law Center, 1992. SELF HELP KF 1539 .S87 1992.

Sheldon, Jonathan. *Unfair and Deceptive Acts and Practices*. National Consumer Law Center, 2001. SELF HELP KF 1610 .Z95 S53 1997.

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West's Encyclopedia of American Law. West Publishing, 1998. REF KF 154.W47 1998.

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Consumer Credit Counseling Services Southwest
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(800) 308-2227

Credit Counseling Centers, Inc.
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Mesa, AZ 85203
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<http://www.debthelpnow.org>

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